Commission shall consist of [seven (7)] 11 members, each of whom shall serve for a term of [three (3)] 3 years. [Of the members first appointed, one (1) shall serve for a term of one (1) year, three (3) shall serve for a term of two (2) years and three (3) shall serve for a term of three (3) years.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That of the four members appointed under this Act, one shall serve for a term of 1 year, two shall serve for a term of 2 years, and one shall serve for a term of 3 years. Thereafter, all members shall serve a term of 3 years.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1979.

Approved May 14, 1979.

CHAPTER 409

(House Bill 1732)

AN ACT concerning

Eastern Shore State Hospital - Laundry

FOR the purpose of directing the Department of Fiscal Services to estimate the present cost of laundry service for the Eastern Shore State Hospital; requiring the taking of competitive bids for the laundry service; and requiring the Hospital to use the least expensive acceptable laundry service.

BY adding to

Article 59 - Mental Hygiene Section 31(e) Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume and 1978 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 59 - Mental Hygiene

31.

(E) (1) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE WORD "HOSPITAL" MEANS THE EASTERN SHORE HOSPITAL CENTER.